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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Room TW-A325
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: WC Docket Nos. 02-304; 02-317; 02-319; 02-202; CC Docket Nos. 01-337; 02-33; 95-20; 98-10

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 19, 2002, Kelsi Reeves of Time Warner Telecom and I met with Matthew Brill, Legal Advisor to Commissioner Kathleen Abernathy. During the meeting, we discussed Time Warner Telecom's position on incumbent carriers' proposed customer deposit requirements. Time Warner Telecom believes the criteria for imposing these deposits is vague and unreasonable. Further, Time Warner Telecom argued that the relief sought is inconsistent with the rationale underlying price caps and the relief is unnecessary in light of the BOCs' high interstate rates of return and relatively low rates of uncollectibles. In addition, Time Warner Telecom addressed its positions regarding the appropriate regulation of broadband services. These positions are consistent with Time Warner Telecom's filings in the above-referenced proceedings.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b)(2), a copy of this letter is being filed electronically for inclusion in the public record of each of the above-referenced proceedings.

Sincerely,

/s/

Thomas Jones
Counsel to Time Warner Telecom

cc: Matthew Brill